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1. The city of Szczecin (Stettin) is supplied with water from five pumping stations located in the following districts:

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- a. Pilchowo: Water is raised from four deep wells. Output: 8,000 cubic meters per 24 hours. This station has two pumps, one on ul. Unii Lubelskiej and the other in ul. Tatranska. These pump water from their tanks to the tanks of other pumping stations if any of them is out of order. This pumping station has had the highest output, but since autumn of 195h, it has gone down because the water level in the wells has dropped by two meters. This is the most modern of all the Sacsecin pumping stations.
- b. Warssowo: Water is raised fromwery deep wells.
- c. Colecino: Water is raised from one deep well and from the Oder River.
- d. Swierczewo: Water is raised from deep wells.
- e. Pomorsany: Water is raised from the Oder River only. / It supplies the port of Sacsecim. Ships draw drinking water and water for the boilers from the same hydrants.
- 2. All the pumping stations have filter stations which have a large output. Water is pumped from the filter beds directly into the water-mains system.
- 3. Water pressure at the pumps is 75 cm. The average pressure in the water-mains system is 38 cm. Pressure drops considerably during the summer, and it is then very difficult to pump water to apartments on the third and fourth fleors.
- 4. Szczecin houses have no water tanks in which to store water from the water mains. All houses are connected directly with the mains supply.
- 5. The water-supply system has numerous remifications. The mains are generally limbelow ground. In spite of this depth, the pipes sometimes burst during the winter.
- 6. In the city and in the port there are a large number of below-surface hydrants which are easy to find.

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